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SUBJECT: LEAHY VETTING FOR FBINAA ASIA PACIFIC CHAPTER Retainer  
Conference to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia from 19-24 July,  
[1](#)2010.

[1](#)1. This is an action request. See para three.

[1](#)2. The following candidate has been selected for FBINAA ASIA PACIFIC  
CHAPTER Retainer Conference to be held in Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia  
from 19-24 July, 2010. Post requests that vetting be completed by  
02/01/2010 to provide sufficient time for processing. Post requests  
the department conduct Leahy vetting for the following candidate:

Name : Mr. Tawfique Mahbub Chowdhury,  
Rank : Superintendent of Police, Bangladesh Police;  
DPOB : 12/19/1970, Sylhet, Bangladesh  
Permanent address: Village: Mohidpur  
Police Station: Zakigonj, Sylhet, Bangladesh

Post requests that the Department of State authorize post to make  
the following statement to the relevant DOD units: "Embassy verifies  
that the Department of State possesses no credible information of  
gross violations of human rights by the above named individual or  
unit."

[1](#)4. Post Human Rights Officer is David Arulanantham, unclass  
e-mail:arulananthamdp@state.gov.

[1](#)5. COMMENT: Embassy has no information to indicate these  
individuals or any units they have served in have been involved in  
gross violations of human rights.

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